

Activity 3. Adapting teaching methods.

Objectives

- To understand how teaching methods can be developed to improve differentiation.

Resources

- The completed card activity

and/or

- An existing session plan

You may then wish to ask participants to do one or both of the following activities.

- Ask how they might adapt different teaching techniques to make them differentiate better. For each of the methods you placed in category C, decide as a group how you can make that method differentiate better. For example 'Teacher talk' would differentiate better if it were punctuated with Question and Answer or short sessions of group work, especially if the questions were 'high order' with sufficient 'wait time', and help was given to allow all students to answer the questions.
- Ask participants to review a session plan to include more tasks that could make the differentiation better.